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To-Day. To-day we are called upon to take the first step in our political freedom. The result of this day's doings will to such an extent involve the future weal or woo of this fledgling of the Dominion that it behoves everyone in the exeroise of the franchise to consider well into whose hands he places and confirms the power to govern the affairs of the Province. The irresponsible and obnoxious system which has heretofore prevailed in British Columbia has now come to an end, and for forthcoming time the responsibility of the work of governing wisely and well rests solely with the people's will. Thus, then, this day becomes an epoch of momentuous import, and everyone who has the interest of the Province at heart should give their vote solely with a view to its effect upon the future welfare of the Province. The candidates, six in number, are now before to the electors, and with the exception of one, all are un tried in their political and legislative experience. It is somewhat to be regretted that there are not more men of experience. It is somewhat to so gretted that there are not more men of sound legislative experience in the field to give assurance of a good and faithful management of affairs, yet it is gratifying that there are some among the candidates on whom, for honesty of purpose and integrity, we may confidently rely. Mr McUreight, than whom a more intelligent and worthy man cannot be found, well skilled in legal attainments and an old resident, having watched with deep interest the political progress of the colony in the province to take a leading part in its future government. Next stands Mr Duck, who, it is true, has had no practical legislative experience, yet the active part and the interest which he has taken in all local affairs justify the fullest confidence in torest which he has taken in all local alfairs justify the fullest confidence in his ability and integrity and give us undoubted assurance that he will be a safe and suitable man to represent the city. Dr Trimble is the only candidate who has bad practical legislative experience. His able and successful management of the City's affairs during his two years service in the City's affairs during his two years trying period, has given such proof of his ability and fitness that of all the men now before the electors, he most certainly is wor-

bility and fitness that of all the men now before the electors, he must certainly is worthy of election. So far, then, as the three gentlemes spoken of are concerned there is no doubt of their being elected and the city can congratulate itself upon having a good representation. Of the three others—Missre McMillan, Beavan and Williams—it is not as easy to maint out the advantage

is not so easy to point out the advantage that would accrue to the city or province were they elected. The latter two are both map of intelligence and respectability of

character, but having lived so retired from public life, their time so entirely devoted to

his social, moral or political principles, or whether his principles have any basis at all

Having had no lack of facilities to give his versatility of views and opinions to the world, he has indulged to a large extent in

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self by these views to stand. But they are such a complete reflection of the equivocal disposition of the man that the most acute discernment fails to see their meaning. He is an independent man, and he is a party man—and yet he will not belong to any party that is not the right party; which means, no doubt, the party in power or which may best sut his personal interests. He is decided in promising to vote for the repeal of the Civil List Bill, and yet in his address at the hustings he says he knows it cannot be repealed. Such is a partial del neation of the man who is aspiring to the honor of laying the foundation of legislation of this Province; and such a man it is the duty of the electors to day to reject

legislation of this Province; and such a man is the duty of the electors to-day to reject and to select from the others named, not one of whom would reflect discredit upon the judgment of the community.

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A Conspiracy

Elsowhere in this is ue a correspondent calls attention to a conspiracy that has been formed to return Mr Mey Millan to day by means of plumpors. The plot would appear to be to split the Reform vote as much as possible between the two weakest of the five Reform candidates and at a late hour in the day rush in a number of plumpers purposely held back to elect the Liberal, alias the Annexation candidate. If this statement be true, the duty of the electors is plain : They must unite upon the four Reformers who are most likely to win and put them in at all hazards. There must be no divisions on board the Reform ship. Should one of the five candidates prove too heavy to cerry with safety, the vessel must be lightened. When the country is in danger everyone must be prepared to make sacrifices and should cheerfully bear his burthen.

Dr. Trimble.

A strong effort will be made to day to de-feat this time honored public servant. Among the mest absurd of the fabrications that will be set affoat is one that Dr Trim that will be set affort is one that Dr Frimble, when Mayor, declined to exercise his power as Magistrate and release DeCosmos after he had been committed to prison censibly for libeling the Beach of Magistrates. But when it is remembered that Dr Trimble was in bed when the new reached him that the august porson of the GreatAmor had been corrailed by the police; GreatAmor had been correlled by the police; that he was only in limbo about thirty minutes, and that, as it alterwards appeared, the real object in impounding him was to preserve him from a thrashing at the hands of one of the gentlemen whose feelings he had outraged, few electors will be found disposed to quarrel with the doctor for not flying through the streets in his robe de nuit and turning the belligerent gentleman loose before he and his antegoriet had sufficiently cooled off to render their appearance on the public streets desirable. In fact, we have always thought that the Magistrate was entitled to Mr DeCosmos' sincerest thanks instead of the abuse which he subsequently visited upon him.......Another orime laid bottle-washer among the Annexationists— combining with DeCosmos & Co to run the Confederation League as a personal engine. Theo, and not until then, did the doctor Then, and not until then, did the doctor openly denounce the bad men who had control of the machine, and form a new alliance with men who subsequently brought Confederation to a successful consummation. Had the country fallen into the bases of your McMillans and your DeCosmoses at that time they would have sought a connection south of the line. Then we hear a great deal of nonsense about Ogden Point. If the doctor pre-empted the Point legally is he not us much entitled to be upheld and confirmed in his rights as any other citizan I. In not, us much entitled to be upheld and confirmed in his rights as any other citizen? It not, then whose pre-emption title is good? I would be a new idea, indeed, if a man' property were taken away from him because he differed politically from a party in power, or that a pre-emptor of public lands is to be debarred from serving in the legislature of his country simply because he is a pre-

Insulting Victoria District Electors.

Messrs DeCosmos, Dalby and Bunster are candidates for the Local Legislature in Victoria District. In their professed principles there is no difference between the three; but principles before the electors there is a wide difference. Mr Dalby has placed his politi-cal opinions quon record in an address. Mr DeCosmos, with a superciliousness which we think the electors of Victoria District we think the electors of victoria District will mark in a proper manner, has declined to publish an address. Two years ago, when Mr DaCosmos ran against Mr Lowe, he urged as a reason why he did not publish an address that the expense of publishing one was too great. This year he has a paper of his own at his command and still declines to also his appropriate (\$\frac{1}{2}\$) on ranged. He presented that the property of the property of the presented that the presented in the presented that the presented place his principles (?) on record. He prefers to blow like a perpoise on the hustings and at wayside inns, so that if charged with inconsistency at a future day he may claim that he was misreported. And the Fat Boy public life, their time so entirely devoted to their business pursuits, they have yet to show that they are the proper men to be entrusted with such important duties as will devolve on the legislators of this province. As for Mr McMillan, he unfortunately has been too public in his life. With no lack of speaking and writing ability he has exercised his talent too freely and in such variety in its applications that it has become quite difficult to understand the basis of either his social, moral or political principles, or emulates his master's example and won't pub

Victoria District Hustings.

The meeting at the bustings in Victoria District on Saturday was a grand triumph for Dalby, who upset his unprincipled or po-neuts at every turn. In reply to the charge that he was the nominee of Victoria merchants—who were contemptu usly referred to as the Plumping Ring—Mr Dalby decied tons the Plumping Ring—Mr Dalby decided that he was put forward by that classe. Mr DeCosmos then explained that he thought he must be because, having asked Mr Findlay for his vote, that very merciog, Mr Findlay had replied, 'No, I shall vote for Dalby.' One merchant says, 'I shall vote for Dalby.' world, he has indulged to a large extent in that line—with as much sincerity and zeal in the cause of Contederation as in the cause of Amexation; with as much sincerity and pisty in decouncing abroad the community in which be lives as licentius, descipated and debased, as he can with feigned pity pray for their reformation and welfare. Mr McMillan not having any confidence in the word of any man, has in a most elaborate manner displayed his political views in type, and pledges him one increase says, " state vote in Daily whereupon DeCosmos cries, Protoco me farmer, all the merchants are against me! A cockney tourist once visited France. The first French woman he met had red hair—whereupon the cocking wrote this in his dary; —'Mem.—Alt' the women of France have red hair.' There is something indescribably mean in a politician who has been all his life addressing public meetings resorting to the 'contemptible trick' of misrepressions. senting an inexperienced opponent with the object of disconnerting him. Faugh! We wonder even Bunster is found in such despicable company.

Vote Early.

Vote early and vote for the best four meu. Remember ! Responsible Institutions are on trial, and Appexationists and Communists bave the largest possible interest in throwing our affairs into isorder. Let one of that stripe vet into the House and public confidence in Responsibility will be sewerely shaken—
"One sickly sheep affects the flock,
And sickons all the rest."

The Feniaus

These worthies are making a general bother on the Munitoba border. They have a 'hankerin' arter' British terri-Why the mischief don't they send for McMillan, the great real estate broker. He would sell British Columbia to them dirt-cheap, and they would achieve a bloodless victory and make the British Lion gnash his toothless gums and lash his attenuated sides with his stumpy old tail in the throes of impotent despair.

Cowichan Nomination.

Nomination at Cowichan was on Saturday, Mr Motley, J P, presided. Speeches were made by all the candidates and the show of hands was declared to be in favor of Messrs Saithe and Pimbury. A pell was demanded.

A Conspiracy.

EDITOR COLONIST; -- I ask the use of your columns to request the electors of Victoria to vote to-day for the following candidates:

McCreight, Duck, Trimble, Beavan.

I do so because I know that a plot exists to divide the vote between Beavan and Williams early in the day and late in the afternoon to rush in a band of fifty or sixty votors to plump for Mo-Millan, who, it is calculated, with the scattering votes he will have received in the morning, will be easily elected.

At a meeting of friends and supporters of Mr McMillan on Saturday I hear that the plot was fully arranged and that the Annexationists, headed by Mr D. Cosmos, will vote in a solid block for their man at the last moment. Lat all men who want to see the Province maintain its British connection drop their petty personal squabbles to-day and vote for the gentlemen 1 have named-Mr Williams having come too late into the field to do more than split the Reform vote and let an Annexationist in. Yours truly,

NANAIMO SURE FOR ROBSON .- The lates namamo Sure For Rosson.— Le lates, news from Nanaimo is to Tuursday evening last, when Mr Robson's canvass was progressing fuely. Mr Robson's adherents were steadily increasing, while those of the opposition candidate were as steadily depleting. Nanaimo, following the example that will be a bar Visicia to day, will give a good acset by Victoria to-day, will give a good account of itself on Wednesday.

COMOX SURE FOR ASH. - The CARVASS & Comex proceeds with vigor, and Dr Ash's chances, good enough before, are improving every day. Mr Coleman, who is running in the Communist interest, will be beaten by a bandsome majority. Our latest intelligence is to Thursday night.

Arrivals.—The schooner Hamley, Capt Carloton, with a cargo of Comex produce, arrived yesterday moroing.......The sloop Alarm, Captain Dwyer, with passengers and produce from San Juan Island, came in about the same time.

A Baid, supposed to be the Kitty Coburn from San Francisco bound for the Hastings Mills to load, anchored in Cadboro Bay yes

THE Grappler towed down the ship Wilson, bound from Moody's Mills for Val-paraiso, yesterday.

THE passengers by the Grappler yesterday were Capts Raymur and Doane.

THE Grappler sails for Burrard Inlet at noon

ADMIRAL ROUS ON THE NAVY.—A characteristic letter on the condition of the nav has been addressed to the Times by Admiral Rous. He speaks of Mr. Reed as the constructor of floating segulchres, says he trembles at that gentleman's assertion that he has spent three millions sterling in ships, the offspring of his own brain, and asks whether there is any power on earth to protect the nation from Mr. Ried's fecundity in this direction. He is severe upon the abolition of the Navigation Laws, which, he ssys, has filled our mercantile navy with foreigners, and sent to gaols and poorhouses the meterial which would have otherwise formed our navy; and auggests a law compelling captains of merchant ships to employ crews consisting three-formths of British subject. Steam, he declares, has exurpated seamanship, and, the only remedy is to attach sailingbrigs to every admiral's ship, upon which the extra lieutenants and midshipmen should perform seamen's duty until they could reef and steer.

The total expenses of the Mont Cenis Tunnel mount to 65,000,000f.; of these, 20,000,000f, are to be contribured by the Victor Emanuel Railway, or Railway of Northern Italy, This sum is to be paid on or before the opening of the tunnel. The French Government was to pay 19,000,000f. If the work was accomplished within twenty years, reckoning from 1862. But if the work was accomplished at an earlier date, France bound herself to 500,000f, more for every year gained upon the stipulated time. As there have been eleven years thus gained, France will have to pay 5,500,000f, besides the 20,000f,000 of the original stipulation. She has besides to pay five per cent, interest on the money due for the work as it proceeded from year to year. Thus Italy will pay something less than 20,000. Had the construction of the tunnel continued beyond the stipulated term of twenty years. outly. Had the constituted term of twenty years listy would have lost 600,000f. for every year in excess of that period.

The Germans in Moscow have purchased a magnificent team of white Russian horses, for 4,000 roubles in silver, intended for a present for Prince Bismark. The horses came from the same stud presented to the Emperer Napolean tray years ago.

Sin Glectric Telegraph

Exclusive to the 'Colonist. LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES. Eastern States.

Naw York, Oct 14—Henry Ward Beecher delivered on eloquent discourse last evening in Brooklyn on the Chicago fire. There was an immense audience and the speaker made a warm appeal on behalf of the Cuicago people. Washington, Oct 13—Gen Humphreys, Chief of the Engineers' Burcau, has received a letter from Clarence King, Geologist in charge of the expedition of the fortieth partalel, dated Western Uintah Mountains, Oct. 2d, in which he states that extensive fires 2d, in which he states that extensive fires

2d in which he states that extensive frees have raged through the Rocky Mountains since August 6th, filling the air with such volumes of smoke as to stop the topographical work. On October 2nd a heavy snow storm prevailed and on the 3d, for the first time, it was clear. Mr King says the survey will be completed by December. The first expedition has been very successful. NEW YORK, Oct 14-Judge Barnard's order

ANN TORK, OCT 14—Jung harnard s order dismissing the Grand Jury, yesterday, was received with universal applause. The discharged jurors were allies of Tammany. On Monday a new jury will be empanneled.

A committee of ten last evening discussed means to obtain an honest election of conven-

tion of anti-Democrats.

A reform movement called the Young Men's Reform Association, is in organization, with Ex. Judge Barrett as President.

The Democrats, last evening, perfected arrangements for the next election.

The Democratic Research of the respondents to the

The Deputy Comptroller responds to the demand of the Inspectors of Sewers and payments for their pay that payment is stopped by Barnard's injunction, and, besides, there are no funds

no funds.

Wm H Webbyesterday called the attention of President Grant to the fact that American steam lines would have to give way to British lines unless something was immediately done

The Hartford (Connecticut) Fire Insurance

The Hartford (Connecticut) Fire Insurance Company have suspended.

Washington, Oct 14—At the Cabinet meeting all the members were present except Ackerman, who is not in the city.

The President and Mrs Grant, Postmaster-General Cresswell and wife, and Boutwell and Robeson, leave to-night fer Boston.

Belknap leaves for Boston to-morrow.

Second Dispatch.

British Columbia.

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Lyrron, Oct 14—Canadian Pacifiz Railway Survey, Division V:—At 1 o'clock this 14th day of October the branch of the railway survey between Yale and Lytton was completed. Camp T has been pitched in Lytton these last three days. The work was commenced at the Yale Toligate, a-quarter mile out of Yale, on the 12th of September. According to actual measurement the railway can be brought to Lytton in about 55 miles; by wagon road 57 miles, which, at twenty-eight working days for rather twenty-two days, six days having miles, which, at twenty-eight working days (or rather twenty-two days, six days having proved too rainy for even the V's to work), would give 24 miles per day. A portion of the survey followed the Yale-Lytton road; but the largest portion was carried on between river and road at the probable level the rails way would occupy, and this portion of the survey was not unaccompanied by dangerous incidents. It was very desirable to keep near the river on account of the rade: at the same the river on account of the grade : at the same the river on account of the grade: at the same time the road could not be lost sight of with a view to the interests of the future railway. In some places a series of sand bills, as they may be termed, of uniform slope, had to be crossed, which offered no facilities for the survey but their barrenness. At other points rocky slides had to be traversed which a rocky slides had to be traversed which a number of the party were unable to cross, and some actually fell down, though without serious injury. At some of the places most eagily passed over the wind blew with such fury that the instruments could with difficulty be the state of the place of the place. maintained in their positions. At places where is would have been folly to attempt chaining the distance was ascertained by angular mea

the distance was secretained by angular mea-surement and plotting to scale, and resort was had to canoe to run the whole party. The first camp was pitched five miles west of Yale. The camp was shifted six times alto-gether. The route as surveyed offers, as before stated a slight saving in distance. In some places the wagon road offers superior facilities places the wagon road olders superior facilities in respect of grade for railway purposes, but the line according to instructions was taken as mear the river as practicable. A series of flats or benches, which were formed, no doubt at an early period of the river's history, which were then its actual back and a constant. then its actual banks, was formed at a nearly uniform level on both sides of the river commancing at about 20 miles from Lytton. They mancing at about 20 units from Lytton. Iney
are separated by ravines more or less rocky.

The termination of this branch of the survey
was celebrated by a dinner at the leading
hotel in Lytton. Camp V propose to leave
Lytton on Menday to commence the survey elow Yale.

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST.

Europe.

PARIS, Oct 14—A public ministerial or-gen announces that Bismark and Ponyer yesterday signed the customs treaty be-tween France and Germany. The financial portion of the Convention is definitely conpluded by the signatures of these two isters. That part which relates to the reniation of customs duties must be submit ed to the German Reichsrath for ratification today contains a charge against giving to ready a credence to the statements recordthe conclusion of the costoms treate negotiations are virtually closed.

EasternEstates

LAWERENCE, KANSAS, Oct 12-A large meeting, presided over by the Mayor, was held here today in aid of Chicago suffer-ere. Over \$30.000 was raised on the spot. The Council was revuested to appropriate

The Council was revuested to appropriate \$10.000. A carload of provisions was sent from here yesterday.

MEWISTON, Me, Oct 14- The breaks by the late freshets are not wholly repaired The railroad trains in this portion of the State will be delayed a few days,

Chicago, Oct 14- It commenced raining here shout 6 o'clock this warning aults heavily and

about 6 o'clock this morning quite heavily and continued so for two hours, and light showers have prevailed. Never was rain more grateful

since the dust from the unsprinkled and burnt district, like a fall of snow, has filled the air since the fire to the unspeakable discomfort of everybody. There is still considerable excitement over

reports of attempted incendiarism, particularly in the West division, and arrests continue to be made of persons charged with this devilish work

work.

The Tribune this morning says there can be no doubt as to the only proper course to pursue with incendiaries caught in the act: that the fate of such miscreants should be certain

and sure.

Eighty dead bodies are now lying in the Morgue.

There are two long columns of names of the missing in this morning's papers.

The churches and schoolhouses are crowded

The churches and schoolhouses are crowded with half clothed women and children, one of the terrible remainders of the great calamity whose horror no words can describe.

The bodies in the Morgue were mostly found on the north side, and it is certain they were only a small portion of the number caught in the flumes and consumed. Yesterday the Cornore held an inquest on the bodies of sixy-four unfortunates in the Morgue, only two of which were recognizable. One of these was If J Ullman, banker; the other man was named H J Ullman, banker; the other man was named

To Ulman, banker; the other man was named Peter O'Brien.

The vaults of the Custom House were to-day opened. They contained one million dollars in gold and two millions in greenbacks.

The gold was melted into an almost solid mass and in the shape of bullion; the greenbacks were entirely consumed. The whole belonged to the U S Government and no loss is in-

Curred.

Washington, Oct 14—Secretary Boutwell
Washington, Oct 14—Secretary Boutwell Washington, Oct 14—Secretary Boulwell has received a displate from Chicago stating that the safes in the depository had been opened and about \$35,000 U S currency in the small safe found in good condition; the test of the currency, with the books and papers, is completely destroyed and all the coin is badly melted.

The U S frigate Colorado has been completed to include the coins.

pelled to go into dry dock for repairs, having struck a rock in coming through the inland

UTICA, N Y. Oct 11-To night at a meeting here \$93 000 were enbectived and \$10. 000 appropriated by the Common Council for Chicago. A committee will make further

Canada.

TORONT, Oct 11—At a special meeting of the Municipal Council the Mayor was au-thorized to telegraph the Mayor of Chicago to draw at once \$20,000, gold.

California.

San Francisco, Oct 15-Arrived-Stmr Ajix, Portland, with \$55.509 in treasure. Stmr America from Chin, and Japan.

Star America from Chio, and Japan.
Telegraphic communication between Honghong and Nagasaki has been interrupted by Chinese, who have fished up the cable at sea and stolen a long section of it. It is feared that the line will be a failure from the repetition. tition of these interruptions.

Some of the lower classes in Liverpool indulge in the atrocious practice of plucking the feathers from living hens. The miscreants guilty of such conduct are of the same kidney, doubtless, as those who skin live cats. In the latter case the excuse is commonly offered that it improves the pelt; but the fowl-plucking practice seems to be one of mere gratutious cruelty, it is a satisfaction to know that the Magistrates, in recent instances, have absolutely refused to impose fines, and have sent the offenders to jail for salutary terms.

IRELAND has one dog to every twenty persons, and last year the tax of two shillings a head was paid on 274,422 dogs.

MR C A NOLTRMIER has returned from San MR C A NOLTRMIER has returned from San Francisco with a splendid assortiment of boots and shoes of the latest styles, which he will sell at low prices. Boots made to order and warranted to fit. Repairing neatly done.— Government street, next to the St Nicholas

A. GILMORE, MERCHANT TAILOR, and General Outlitter, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hote ness to the store aujoining the Colorini Hore and opposite the Colonist Office, on Government (girael, fourth door from Yaiea, where he proposes to give his old friends and new customers a chance on the principle of quick ales and small pr fits.

EMINENT CUTLERS. - Among the names of the most prominent manufacturers of cutlery are found those of Wostenholm, Mappin, Crooks, Harrison and Joseph Rodens & Sons The latter has for a series of years held the prestige for excellence, and has been awarded the prizes at the Industrial Exhibitions; and at present the sole importers in this Provinc are TN HIBBEN & Co.

REMEMBER THE PATR OF ABSALOM. Payne, Fonsortal Artist. Shaving 121 cents Hair Cutting 25 cents. Shampooing 25 cents That Original Cheap Shaving Shop start on the sunny side of Johnson attent.

To the Electors of Victoria City.

Genteens'—Having been requested by a large num to represent the City in the Local Legislature, it affords no great pleasure to compty.

I m superly in two of the immediate a loption of the Camadian Tariff none-ty-bellering that its acceptance will be better than a modified or the British tolomb a Tariff; a modification of the Civil List Act: Free muscoctarian Schools; good Roads to the Districts, as that the Farmer may successfully compute with foreign producers; a Revision of the Municipal act; and I shall assist c cry measure calculated to advance the interest of the Civil particular and those of the Province in goneral.

JAMES, IRIMBIE. Victoria, Sept 18th, 1871.

To the Electors of Victoria City District.

District.

Obstricts at my dispessi, I venture to offer mysolias a candidate to represent your interests in the local Legislature and respectfully solicit your vote as the approaching election. The chief question at present before the public is that of Tarift. Now, I am of opinion that farmers and others are paying a great desi too dearly for protection, and revery granted that the bension House of Commons will never granted the great question ought to be settled at more and for ever, I shalf, if elected, be prepared to vote for the immediate adoption of the Canadian system.

As regards the construction and repair of roads, bridges and other public works, liberal Government, maintended the content of the purpose of attracting inhibitation, you may feel sure I would support them al, as well as give my most watchild at ention to all matters in any degree affecting or like yto advance the prosperty of this city.

I have the honor to be, dentlemen,

Political.

REQUISITION.

VICTORIA, B C, Aug 9th, 1871.

TO JOHN FOSTER MCCREIGHT. ESQ. TO JOHN POSIER ACCREMENT. 25%.

DEALS RIF. -Wo the undersigned Electors of Victoris
City District, having confidence in 'your integrity and
shifty, from your long relidence among 'un'request'
you will allow us to put you in nomination at the form
coming Election, and we hereby pledgo curselves to the
salt the legitimate means in our power to secure your
retok at the obserion.

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We have the honor to be Respectfully Yours, DW Higgins
DW Higgins
David Leneveu
Lumley Franklin
Chas H Trehart
D Spener
Edgar Faweett
Wm Harrison
Alex Wilson
John Winger
R Bornaby
Wm H Glibbon
H T Mann
G Mas m G Mason R W Fawcett Thos C-rrington James Trimble W Chrice
Edward Stamp
John Stafford
James Burns
Joan Teague
Jas Boase
Wm Charles
This Price
Jos York
W H Huxtable
J H Murner
E B Marvin Thos Wilson Wm Wilson Robert Williams bos Wilson Toos Allsop H F Heisterman H F Holsterman
A Builer
W J Jeffree
A Phillips
F J Roscoe
Thos Storey
John Jessop
Jas Crump
W J Macdonald
A Burster
Robbert Johnston
J Foran
M W T Drake
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Robert
Robbert
M T Brown
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H MAN H Brown
W H McNeill
J A Raymond
D F Adams
William Tierney
George Stevens

REPLY.

GENTIMES:—I feel much pleased with the confidence which you express in me, and willingly accede it your desire to allow myself te be placed in commandon as a candidate for the representation of the City of Victoria, and hope, it elected, that my conduct will show that your confidence has not been misplaced.

I remain,

Your obedient servant,

Government street, August, 1871.

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REQUISITION.

ROBERT BEAVAN, E.Q,

DEAR Size. Wo, the undersigned electors of Victoria.
City, having conducate in your political ability and integrity, request that you will allow yourself to be put,
in normation at the forthcoming election to zerre as
one of our representatives in the Legislature of this Provance, and we hereby pledge ourselves to use our unmost efforts to secure your return

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James Hutcheson
John H Brodie
Geo J Findlay
Ed Dickinson
W Harrison
W B Wilson
Chas Warren
Donalu Mackay
Hichard Carr
Thos H Williams
R Roborts W J Jeffree
A J Langley
H L Jones
Joseph Dwyer
G R Fardon
R P Rithet
Wm R Gibbon
Robt Wallace R Roberts Wm B Townsend Fred Paine R J Byrn Geo Hemmingway M Humber
A Phillips
Thos Hall
Wm Harrison
J Work
E B Marvin
R Plummer R Plummer
Mathew T Johnston
Geo Hodger Lawrence
J Russell
Jas Grump
Henry Jenkinson
J S Rollsson
J B Matthews
Thos shotbolt
Henry Saunders
Geo Jacques Jonu Thos Smith Thos J Dearberg W H Huxtable Geo Pestar

P W Morpy
P Saunders
D Green

REPLY.

GENTLEMEN;—In answer to your very kind requisition
destring me to become a candidate for election to the
next Provincial Legislature, a similarly controlled to the
next Provincial Legislature, and swittle the controlled to the controlled with efficiency, the opening up of the country by roads, as mereased facilities to actual settlers in
locating lands, and will, if elected, support all measures of a useful character to the Province generally.

Yours obtained to
MUBERT BEAYEN
MUSERT BEAYEN
See Street, Sept 4th, 1871.

Victoria City District-Requisition,

TO SIMBON DUCK, ESQ.

J M Wark

F G Richards
William Rebertson
Lbomas Nicholson
D W Higsins
William Heathorn
Thus J Dearberg
Jao Finlayson
Charles Taylor
Georgo Wynne
Wm Field
W Bond F Reynolds
Henry Saunders
James Andrews
James Andrews
Lumley Franklin
Jno Dickson
Mathew T Johnston
A DeCosmos
Wm Wilson
Alfred Follows
R S Byrno
F J Poscoe
Robert Hicks W Bond Edward Stamp

REPLY

To Messrs I W Powell, Charles Hayward, James Crump

To Messrs I W Powell, Charles Hayward, James Crump and others,
GENTLERS: .—Your requisition, soliciting me to become a candidate for the Local Legislature of the proyence of Fritish Columnia, is now before me, and it allows me great pleasure to accept the honor you wish to conter on me. It elected will exert my best endeavors to represent your interests faithfully in the House I shall favor free cluestion, assisted immigration for the anatum tarill, public improvements, and will strive to get the Canadian Pacific Railroad extended to Victoria and Esquimait, together with a hearty support of all mes.

and Province.

Thanking you for your expression of confidence in me,
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REQUISITION Esquimalt, B C, Sept 16, 1871

TO JOHN SEBASTIAN HELMOKEN, ESQ,

DEAR FIR,—We the understigned electors of Fsquimalt,
Metchosin and Highland Districts knowing your ability
and having full confidence in your integrity, request
that you will allow us to put you in nomination at the
forthcoming election, and we neroby pit ago our elvis to
use all the legitimate means in our power to accure your
return at the election.

We have the honor to be,

Respectfully yours,

Fred Williams

Thos Flower TO JOHN SEBASTIAN HELMCKEN, ESQ, WILLIAM FISUER, ESC.,

DEANER,—We the undersigned electors and inhabitants of the electoral district of Fequimatt, being confident in your ability, request that you will represent us in the local fegislature of this Province and we hereby pledge curselves to do our utmost to secure your roturn.

William Selleck
Hogh Kennedy
R Woodhams
Josey Bland
Van Millington
T Yardley
H Sandford

John Dunstan
John T Howard
R Hunter
R Woodhams
Wm Selleck
Geo Scart

Thos Dodds Waller Brookman I Sydney, Dobbin John W Harman

Nicholson C Ba Mark Leighton Thos Tugwell Wm Young Richd Dowrio Geo Hawkins Wm Tyler John Kussell

Edward Stamp David Cameron Frank Pagden Patk Gilligan E A Whittingham Patk Gilligan
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Chra Gowen
M J McDonell
Geo Morinon
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Geo J Cook
J McDonell
Geo J Cook
Hunt
John Charters
James We ch
Hobt Mur
John Weit
E J Roman
Joseph Groy
M Wareford
D Wood
M Francis
Thos Trounce
J W Williams Geo Scart
Joseph Pobluson
Jas McCausland
Wn Rothwell
W V Wakeman
S J Spark
Kenneth McKenzle, Jr
Thos Dodds

YALE ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

voud meet the requirements of the country.

I have the honor to be, your serv't,
y24aw JAMAS ROBINSON.

To the Electors of Yale District.

GENTIEMEN :- From a c nviction expressed by the in

To the Electors of Esquima t, Sooke

Metchosin & Highland Districts.

GENTLEMEN1—At the request of many friends, I offer nyself a candidate to represent you in the local Legs ature 1 the Province of British Columbia, and respect-uly about your suffrager. If elected I will do my best to fully represent your in-

terests.

I am in two rof the immediate acceptance of the Canalian Tariff Free Education, the opening and improvement of rods, and if necessary a further guarantee by the Provincial Government to induce the early commencement to the Graving Dock at Faguinalit; also, that the Canadian Pacific Ralir ad the extended to Victoria and Esquimalit, together with a hearty support of all measures calculated to promote the best interests of the country.

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To the Electors of Yale District,

YALE, BC, July 1st, 1871.

ourselves to do o William Selleck Hugh Kennedy R Woodhams Jos W Bland Wm Millington T Yardley John Artbur John Artbur JamesgMcAurlan Wm Farrall William Tapson Prancis W Thoms J Ibbinsoe Jimothy Scarlon

To the Requisitionists and Electors of Enquimalt, includ-ing Metchosin, Socke and Highland.

WILLIAM FISHER, ESQ.,

REPLY.

Poltiical.

Esquimalt District.

Esquimant, August 23d, 1871.

"John W Harman H Sandford William Rothwell Wm R Kaulcheleko Peter Calvert Geo W Booth Jos Gray Thomas Dodds Walter Brookman Geo Scarf

To the Requisitionists and Electors of Esquimalt, including Metchosin, Socko and Highland.

Gentlewer,—After considerable hesitation, arising from causes which I can easily and I trustratisfactorily explain when the proper time arrives, I unroservedly place myself in your hands as a candidate for your sufficers and the approaching election.

It is satisfactory to k ow that freat unanmity prevails in the various sections of the computing and the extension and improvement of roads and bridges; upon all and telegraphic communication, as well as upon education and retreachment, and I yield to none in admitted the extension and retreachment, and I yield to none in admitted to the transfer to see that the extension arise to their full to the extension and retreachment, and I yield to none in across the extension of the extension and retreachment, and I yield to none in across the extension of the ext

Victoria, October 8th, 1871.

Mt Pear Friends, — I thank you most sincerely for your expressions of confidence, renewed as they have the control of the confidence of the conf

er another

I the training of the 'Qualification of Voters' Act.' in
all on more to do than I had with the 'Road Act,' the
cal Estate Act.' and the 'Education Act,' which prove
be as defective as they were imperative. But the
miciples and the technicalities which ought to consti

rinciples and the technicalities which ought to constitute the spirit must be rigidly adhered to by these who roless to have respect for law selected. Figurinal is a labeled to the coop, and the coop of the coop of the coop, and the coop of the c

To the Flectors of Yale District,

GENTINIAN:—Having been salicited by a croft the sheetns of this district to allow myself to be placed in contention as a candidate for a seat in the Legislative districts of this from the content of the frontier in the coming election, I add the carly opportunity to thank yon for your manifested conditions and to say that, in time of the many important changes which we sincerely hope for under Contestant on the ancestity of which is so planly marked by part expert nee, it becomes the duty of each and every more the swake in the morning, give every attention and to new every legitimate off, if while shaping our new course to secture a good and economical Government Therefore I have determined to a low myself to be placed in rommation. My interests being identical typical yours and having the advancement and wellars of the whole province at heart, I would advected in crown after the country, the abolith in of road tolls, the improvement of our school as stem, the opening up of the Kamloops and Okanagan country by wagen roads, increased postal facilities, and the organization of such a land spriem as would meet the requirements of the country.

structure that in brinking one or both of them to some of yours without the aid or east of adredge.

It was not difficult to persuade some of my friends when I was in Egigland to try the experiment which brought steamers from England, and although the success was not equal to expectation, I hope the day is not for distant when steamers of greater pretensions than the Robert Lowe or Wis lines ay will enliven the Airarys of Friginialt harbor.

The farmers are not clamorous—to their knool, be it spoken—for 0 cornnest and for their special benefit.

The Tariff which only came into operation a few years ago was allowed the port bod run its day.

The river we pretically derived from Real Estate or a land tax, was to be provised by a tariff which included a daty on foreign grain. There can be no denying but that it has worked ir the benefit of the farmers and industrous classes, and injures no one but those who can take care of themselves.

The differ texe between the Canadian Tariff and our own lies as between beef and breat. Allowing a pound of flour at the contains and a pound of the determinance of the production of the control of the production of the control of the production of the control of the determinance of the production of the control of the determinance of the production of the control of the determinance of the production of the control of the determinance of the production of the determinance of the produ

Gentiemen :—From a contition expressed by the in-habitants of the Thompson River and unkanagan sections that the Yao Lytton Electrical District would be more effected by the Control District would be more effected by the Control District would be more with those, its more outlying and be sa nown portions I, as a resident of mony years attanding in these sections begt order myself as a candidate for the hone of representing you in the Legislatic Assembly.

I would alwocate economy in Government as far as consistent with efficiency of administration, the making of wagon roads where the exigencies of the district demand, and the general furtherance of such measures as are likely to promote the welfare of the country at large.

Your obedience,
Your obedient servant,
M. LUMBY. The clearing and cultivation of the land gives employment to the industrious classes, and wherever your costs produced thither must your plowman and your reaper, our thovel and your cylistil go.

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and radiability. With unfergned tha ks for the requisition that is before me,
I have the honor to be
Your very obedient and humb's servant,
WILLIAM FISHER.
The Fort, Esquimait, Sept 25, 1871.

To the Electors of Esquimalt, Sooke, Metchosen & Highland Districts.

GENTLYMEN, Having received a requisition signed by three number of inflectial exetors from all parts of he above districts, asking me to allow miself to be no-missived as a candidate at the forthcoming election to re-fresently in in the legislative Assembly. It allorids me much pleasure to come forward to solicit your suffrages or that honorable and responsible rosition. I am in favor of a modification of the Canadina Tariff, elleving that it will best meet the requirements of all dessess of the community.

plasses of the community.

The kepea' or Amendment of the Cvil List Act I condition receivery, norder to restore to the Assembly its constitutional control ever the Executive.

I will also alvocate Free Schools on the most liberal principles.

The maintenance and extension of Good Roads (and Bridges throughout the District shall have by best support.

ort. I will do my best to get a Wagon Road put through to I win on my orat to get a wagon toos put through to oloke as carly as possible. One of the most desirable undertakings in the interest your district is the immediate commencement of the reposed Graving Deck at Explimalt, and in case the anadian Government will not be dispersed to extend the narantee for its construction over a longer period than my years, I will be prepared to vote in two of pledging he credit of the Province for such additional period for the expiry of ien years as will induce capitalists to altertake its immediate construction.

earnest support.

An interpreted I and Tax I will support.
An interpreted I and Tax I will support.
An anondment of the Franchise Act I believe should be made in order that every British taxrayer may have a voice in the Government of the country.
I hope so to meet you individually and collectively to learn more particularly your views and to explain my own, but I take this occasion to acquant you that, if returned to the Assembly, I will endeavor to do my duty to the best of my sbilling and support all measures that may be introduced that I may consider calculated to advance your interests.

ests. e honor to be, Gentlemen, e honor to be, Gentlemen, Your most ob dient servant, HENRY COGAN. se20 Craigflower, Sept 16, 1871.

To the Electors of Esquimalt, Sooke, Metchosin & Highland Districts.

Fillow Firstorss:—In deference to the wishes of many influential gentlemen composing your body politic, I offer my services as one of your representatives in the coming session of the local legislature.

I consider it would be superfluous to parade before an intelligent constituency a long array of glowing promises and, if elected, I would only claim the poet's privilege, that is, speak what you think.

My views are much in unison with your own, when say that I am in favor of the immediate adoption of the Canadian Tariff, amendment of the Civil Liss Act to emission to the control of t

beiggs, and other work of public utility throughout the Prevince.

The question of a Graving Deck in Esquimalt harbor is a necessity to our present and future wants and highly practicable, and I will urge its obtains in the House at the proper moment. A tax on will lands, and free grants to bors file's stitlers I would support. An extension of the traches to all British subjects and bailot voting, are reforms which I would support.

I would oil add, that the best interests of the Pro-vince, and especially of the district which I hope to have the honer to represent, will always be to me objects of my carnest solicitude.

I have the honer to be, fellow cloaters, Your most obedient servant,

Lake, September, 1871.

DR CHONG.

JUST ARRIVED FROM CHINA, PHY sician, Surgeon and Accoucher, ormoraut street, three doors below Kwong Lee's At San Shu Lee's house, ery des cription of hiness Medicines for sale Medicines just received from hina. Dealer in Vension and all kinds of Game Every des

Political.

To the Electors of Vancouver Island District.

ISLANG DISTRICT.

CENTELEMENT:—In response to the solicitation of a number prominent gentiemen residing in the different sottlements of your Electoral District to ofter myself as a candidate to represent your interests in the House of Commons, I have, after mature consideration, consuited to do so, and have now the honor to solicit your suffrages at the approaching election.

The measures that a member of the local of a momber of the local tegislature, being in their nature more national, it is doubtless expected that I, as a candidate, should advort to at least some of them that more directly concerns your interests. I will say, then that having been one of the our local advocates of a consideration of the carlies and continuous and the standard responsibility of the carlies of the carlies and continuous laces to the standard responsibility of the carlies of the carlies and continuous laces to the standard responsibility of the standard responsib

Under the Terms of Union with the Dominion, it is the

Dominion Parliament, I shall enucayor to have the tarill so framed as to meet with the concurrence of the orgit-cultural, mining and eximmercial interests of your district,

As the Dominion now possesses exclusively, the right to manage our postal and telegraphic atlairs, I shall endeavor to secure for the Eastern Coast a blowesky minimage of the coast,—and also butter must healthean in each settlement; and as I deem it to be of great importance commercially to have the most rapid means of transmitting intelligence between Nanaimo and Victoria, I shall urge on the Federal Government to transmitting intelligence between Nanaimo and Victoria, I shall urge on struction of a telegraph line to connect the two principal towas in the province.

The increasing importance of the commerce of the Hold Gorgia renders it necessary to have more lighthouses. I shall therefore make the most strenuous exertions to induce the Federal Government to build a lighthouse at Nanaimo at once and to creek there selve where as soon as possible, to ensure greater safety and certainty in navigating ine Guilf.

With respect to the Indians I will urge that they be settled on Kovervations, under the superintenesses of the Covernment, bet anger the earts of civilization, and thus have their secial, moral and religious conditionariapidly improved,

the question of the early construction of a Marine Hospital at Nanaimo I deem to be deserving of verious consideration.

The tecological Survey now begun will doubtless be of great practical advantage to the country,—and anything that I may be able to not occurre the goolgical exploration of the care with the country,—and anything that I may be able to not occurre the goolgical exploration of the care with the country of the country of the country of the care were profitable, and as the Pominion tover meant has agreed

ation of the vast mineral wealth of your district shall not escape my attention.

The fisheries along our ceast primise to become very profitable, and as the Dominion covernment has agreed to extend its protection and encouragement to that values and to proport and tractic of industry. I will endeavor to secure for your instrict its full thins or any aid that and insperiment or that full process and the proposed of the propose

your ob dient servant,

RUBERT WALLACE
Victoria BO, August 3d, 1871.

Yancouver Island District.

To the Electors of Socke, Lake, Sannich, Cowichau, Salt

GENTLIMEN -- White traveling through your district in July last I was the recipient of very great encourage-ment to the myselina a candidate or the Farlament of the Dominion of which this Province n. w so hapily s a part.
soliciting your support at the forthcoming election

forms a part.

In solicting your support at the forthcoming election it becomes my duty to express my views on benditional it becomes my duty to express my views on benditional politics having a direct beering upon the interests of Bittish Coumbia, which I shall do as brisdy as possible. I shall be a scaunch supporter of the present overment of Ganda so long as that Government all adm nier the admirate the diameter of the Innihol in gentral, and of this Province in particular, in a satisfactory in some file. Ratically, the second of the probable line of route, and having advocated such an enterprise in my "Governand Journal," published in Ontario as well as on this coast for the past twelve years, I shall endeavor, by every meanism in my power, to bring that grand undertaking to a successful termination at squimial endeavor, by every meanism in my power, to bring that grand undertaking to a successful termination at squimial reduced on the Audit of Contection of Some other harbor on Vancouver Island.

I may here say that I am not in favor of introducing contection, either on the Solved Oy the Lecal Legislature, but a modification of the Camadon Tain, mended, I shall make every possible offort to secure its adoption by the Deminton Parlament.

I am tully of the opinion that the Federal Government will place mail communication on a thoroughly efficient footing it on Sock-sio Comes, long before the reopening

mended, I shall make every possible effort to secure its adoption by the Dominion Parl issued.

I am fully of the opinion that the Federal Government will place mail communication on a thoroughly efficient footing from Scoke-to Comex, long before the reopening of Parliament. Should this, however, not be the case, I shall, if elected as your representative, see that every settlement is duly careful for in this important particular. The subject of limit, ration is one of great moment and shall always have my earnest support both in the flone and elsewhere. With increased demand for agricultural produces, farm laborers will be required in every settlement, these will soon locate on unoccupied lands, together with men of small cylical, and in their turn become producers. Their place will then have to be flight of their set of the come producers of the result of the present of the early commencement and completion of a Try. The early commencement and completion of a Try. The early commencement and completion of a tron the Eastern produces to the present of the

and other arrey's together with the Indian question and either nubjects that will be continually presenting them selver, shall have my constant consideration and average wherever confucies to the material presperity of the province in general and my constituency in particular 1 reat my claims upon your support, gentlemen, on my long residence for the heatern Fronness and on this Coast—my intimate knowledge, from acoust travel of the wants of very agricultural and nearly all the mining datacits of the Fronness my unswerving support of Confederation and the Kalfrona mines '59 and my having no special connection with any particular meters, commercial agricultural or mining. I am thus enabled to look upon them all from an independent and impartial standpoint, and in advocating their best interests to assist in raising the Fronness of almost illimitable resources to the proud elevation it will soon altain as the Western the service of the province of almost illimitable resources to the proud elevation it will soon altain as the Western the service of the produced of the service of the produced of the will soon altain as the Western the service of the produced of the will soon altain as the Western the service of the produced of the service of the produced of the will soon altain as the Western the service of the produced of the produced of the service of the service of the produced of the service of

Your obedient servant,
JOHN JESSOP. I have the honor se13

To the Electors of Victoria District.

GENTLEMEN:—Having been requested by a larg a number of the Electors of this Dutrict to allow my name to be put in normanic to as a representative for the Local regulation. After due defiberation I have much plea true in acceding local or request, and in so dong would say that, should you do mo the bonor to elect me, I stall at all times say nort such assures as in my judgment will prove from the such assures as in my judgment will prove from interests and those of the country at large.

I am to fiver of a modified tariff.

I am strongly in fevor of a liberal nonsectarian school system, and or a taxon un improved lands.

I shall endeavor to I was as large a sum as can possibly be spared from other objects speak in the improvement and opening up of wagon reads through different parts of the felland.

of the Island.

Should legis'at'on be required to fix the terminus of the OPR R at tsquimalt or Victoria, such a measure will receive my warm support.

The Franchise Live as it stands, I am opposed to, so ar as it does not allow a British subject to vote because he is qualible to read.

Good Government is necresserily economical and Lishall at all times atremonsly oppose any uncolledfor expenditure, whether in the form of Civil List appropriations or in any other form.

I shall not oppose any good measure come from whom it may.

I thin not oppose any get a more the confidence and Should y use fit to extend to me the confidence and support which I sole t, nothing will be left undone in the faithful discharge of my cuttes so tarm in whill less, and I shall entergot to prove to you that in reposing your confidence in me it have the enterplaced.

I have the honor to be death enterplaced.

Your faithful servant, self.

WM. Dalby.

To the Electors of Yale District. Tauested by a number of the afterers to allow my sel

The transfer of the electron to allow massel to be nothing the as one of your representatives in the inguishature for the freewise of British Commbin, after due consideration I have much pleasure in acceding to the consideration of his production of that honor, shall if elected, et all the masses of impact of the honor, shall if elected, et all the production of the production of the control o

the permenent civil List Bill and an extravagate of one of public money:
I have at present merely touched on those subjects that compute the public mind, but shall be appy at any luture time to hear your views and express any own more fully.
I have the honor to be, Gentlepien,
Your obedient servant,
GEORGE COXON,
Onesnelle, July 28th, 1871.

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JOHN ROBSON, Esq. NANAINO, B. C., August 9th, 1871.

Dan Fin—We the undersigned, Electors of the Elect. toral District of Nansimo, being confident of your ability request that you will represent us in the Local Legisia-ture of this frowince, and we hereby pledge ourselves to do our utmost to secure your return. Wm. Barton
John Bryden
Jos pb Ganner
C. A. Alport
Mark Bate
James Dick
Wm. Raymond Clark
George Bevileckway
Jeseph Fevilockway
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A.B., M Peter Martin Edward Walker Jesse Sage William Isbister John Christie WinCartwright Alex Papley Alex Galloway James Stone Edwin Gough

Rev Thes Crosby Elijah Ganner, Sen. Samuel Gough And 51 others.

To the Electors of Nanaimo District.

GENTLEMEN:—With such a Requisition before me, i cannot besitate to accept the nomination to represent the important District of Nanamon in the Local Levislature; nor. With such support, so cordially proflered, can the lasse be thought doubtful.

Most of you are already so familiar with my political views that anything like an extended deliveation of them would scarcely appear to be necessary upon the present consideration and yet, in coming before you for election, a consideration of them would scarcely appear to be necessary upon the present cand, first of all, permit me to congratuate you upon the final accomplishment of Union upon terms which can hardly faint of conter substantial advantages upon the final accomplishment of Union upon terms which can are full choice of Repress natives, to enjoy the benefits of a charge which content upon them the full powers of a charge which content upon them the full powers of a charge which content upon them the full powers of a charge which content upon them the full powers of a charge which content upon them the full powers of a charge which content upon them the full powers of a charge which content upon them the full powers of a charge which content upon them the full powers of a charge which content upon them the full powers of a charge which content upon them the full powers of a charge which content upon them the full powers of a charge which content upon the continued agitation on which is calculated to seriously disturb connerver and injuriously affect every interest. I shall, therefore, it elected, be prepared to veter for the model and acceptance of the Canadan Tariff.

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f have the honor to remain,
Gentlemen,

Yale Electoral District.

To Ma Chas. Semin :—

Sia.—We the undersigned, electors of Yale District, respectfully requestyon to stand as a Candicate for a seat in the legislative Assimbly of this Province in the coming election, and we fully pledgy you cut support and influence to secure your election

James Ross John Peterson

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F. Herchumpy
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REPLY.

To the Electors of Yalk District—Gentlings.—In response to your solvitation that I should allow myself to stand as a candidate for a seat in the Local Assembly of this Frovince, I reply that it will allow me gratification to accode to your request. I shall esteem if an honor bey and my deserts to be a member of the first Canadian Provincis! Parliament assembled on the shores of the Parlic, and if your efforts are successful in scorring my election, I shall endoavour to attend the sour interests so that you may not regret your choice. I shall advoca a retruchment in the public service, when it can be effected without maying its effortney, the appropriation of a portion of the public revenue for the appropriation of a portion of the public revenue to the properties of the production of a portion of the public revenue to cope country and the host Noticels also and the Kam-toep scenaric and the second of the many to the gain of the joy.

I remain, gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

Charles A Semily.

To the Electors of Esquimalt, Sooke, M. tchosin and Highland Districts.

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My political views being already familiar to many of you whom I have the pleasure of knowing, personally I think it unnecessary to enter into a denauted expansation of them through the medium of the press, and more particularly as I intend to visit every Elector in the Diperturbed of the properturbed of the properturb

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